

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

## DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND ENERGY

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Investigation by the Department of Telecommunications and Energy on its own Motion into Distributed Generation.

## PROCEDURAL NOTICE RE SERVICE AND FILING OF DOCUMENTS

On August 11, 2006, the Department of Telecommunications and Energy ("Department") established a deadline of September 7, 2006 for filing comments on the Distributed Generation Collaborative's ("DG Collaborative") 2006 Final Report. The deadline to file reply comments is September 21, 2006. Due to the large number of parties who have participated in the DG Collaborative, as well as additional interested parties, the Department recognizes the high expense of serving copies to all such entities.

Therefore, pursuant to 220 C.M.R. § 1.01(4), I find good cause to permit electronic service of documents to parties in lieu of service by mail or hand delivery. A paper copy of all documents submitted in this proceeding must still be filed and received in hand by the relevant filing deadlines by Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary, Department of Telecommunications and Energy, One South Station, Second Floor, Boston, Massachusetts. The latest electronic service list has been provided by the Massachusetts Technology Collaborative and is attached. All parties are reminded to continue to keep their email and mailing address information updated with both the Department and the Massachusetts Technology Collaborative.

All filed documents should also continue to be submitted electronically to <a href="mailto:dte.efiling@state.ma.us">dte.efiling@state.ma.us</a>. These documents will be posted on the Department's website shortly. In addition, the Massachusetts Technology Collaborative has indicated that it will post on its website copies of all documents submitted by the end of the day today.

/s/ Jesse S. Reyes, Hearing Officer